GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
WATER RESOURCES
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4355
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RANI AVANTIBAI SAGAR PROJECT
PRAHLAD SINGH PATEL

Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) the present status of Rani Avantibai Sagar multipurpose projects in Madhya Pradesh;

(b) whether construction work at the right bank of the project is stalled;

(c) if so, the reasons therefor;

(d) whether the safety of the dam would be affected due to non- completion of the same;

(e) if so, whether the capacity of dam has decreased due to deposition of soil; and

(f) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI ARJUN CHARAN SETHI)

(a) to (c) Rani Avantibai Sagar Project is an ongoing multipurpose project. The construction work at the right bank of the project has been delayed due to insufficient funding to the project by the State Government. Irrigation being a state subject, the irrigation projects are executed and funded by the State Governments themselves from their own resources and as per their own priorities.

(d) No, Sir.

(e) No survey in this regard has been carried out.

(f) Does not arise.